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Dear Mr. Ward, I'm too old (81), too unwell and too tired and weak to answer those questions detailed answers to which would take most of a day. In general, they reflect the nuttier of the books ~~conspiring theories~~ theorizing conspiracies without ever addressing the actual proven facts and that you tend to credit them. In general they are all wrong in varying degrees, some untrue, some distorted and exaggerated.

On Hoover, the correct formulation is that he saw to it that the crime itself was never investigated. It is in this sense that evidence was altered by being lied about by the FBI, which knew it was lying, and in this sense that it also avoided evidence so it would not have to misrepresent it.

Sorry I cannot take time for more.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg